UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS	
ARY Jewelers, LLC., Plaintiff,))
v.) CIVIL ACTION NO. 04:-CV-10281 EFH
IBJTC Business Credit Corp. and David Molinario,) AFFIDAVIT OF JOSEPH G.) THOMPSON, III
Defendants.)

JOSEPH G. THOMPSON, III, being sworn, deposes and states as follows:

- 1. I submit this affidavit at the request of Plaintiff's attorney in support of Plaintiff's respo to Defendants' Motion for Summary Judgment
- 2. I submit this affidavit in order to lay the predicate for admission of the invoices for legal f and expenses as business records of the law firm of Watt, Beckworth & Thompson, L.L.P., r known as Watt Beckworth Thompson & Henneman, L.L.P.
- 3. I am a partner in law firm of Watt Beckworth Thompson & Henneman, L.L.P., f/k/a W Beckworth & Thompson, L.L.P. I represented ARY Jewelers, LLC in several lawsuits arising of its thwarted attempt to acquire Krigel's, Inc.
- 4. Attached to this affidavit as Exhibit 1 are true and correct copies of portions of involute (Bates Nos. ARY 02986 ARY 03030) that set out fees and expenses incurred by ARY in lawsuits referenced in paragraph 3 above. Such invoices are attached hereto as Exhibit 1 and incorporated herein by reference. The invoices attached hereto as Exhibit 1 are kept by V Beckworth Thompson & Henneman, L.L.P. in the regular course of its business. As a partner in firm of Watt Beckworth Thompson & Henneman, L.L.P., I am familiar with the billing procedure.

and records for the firm. It was the regular course of the business for an employee or representat of Watt Beckworth Thompson & Henneman, L.L.P. with knowledge of the act, event, condition opinion recorded to prepare invoices such as the invoices attached hereto as Exhibit 1 and to m a business record, the invoices, or to transmit information thereof to be included in such invoice. The invoices attached hereto as Exhibit 1 were made at or near the time of the act, event, condition or opinions recorded therein, or reasonably soon thereafter. The invoices attached hereto as Exhibit 1 were made at or near the time of the act, event, condition or opinions recorded therein, or reasonably soon thereafter.

1 are an original or exact duplicate of the original.

Joseph G. Thompson, III

Sworn to before me on this the

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Notary seal: